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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS. It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Mail and Overland China Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britan-Bio Majesty's Consulate at Canton. British Consulate, Canton, April 18, 1866 D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.

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#### Arrivals.

April 1, Hopeful, Brit. barque, 332, Buttrey, Bangkok, Feb. 24, 7,000 pionis Rice. April 1, New York, Brit. barque, 536, Moenorich, Bangkok, Mar. 3, 10,000 piculs Rice. - WENG CHUNG SUN.

#### Departures.

April 2, Spark, for Macao. Sumatra, for Manila. Ligaria, for San Francisco. Canton, for Chefoo. Racehorse, for Bangkok, Charmian, for Manila.

## Shipping Reports.

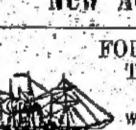
The British barque New York, from Bangkok, reports fine wearher and light E. wind until last three days, when had strong E.N.E. winds till arrival in port.

The British barque Hopeful, from Bangkok, reports fine weather and light wind from S.E. until last three days, when had strong N.E. wind and very heavy cross see until arrival in port.

## Under Despatch.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.-Per Scotia, at 2 P.M. on Saturday next, the

New Advertisements.



FOR SHANGHAL The Steamer "ERL KING" will be despatched for the above port, at 4 r.m. To-mor-

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, April 2, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN. (Customs House Jetty). The British Steamer

Capt. GRANGE, 435 Tons Register, will load at Canton and Hongkong for the above Ports, and having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will be quickly despatched. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Kwong-lee Yuen Hong, 5. Gruham Street. Hongkong, April 1, 1868

BRITISH SHIP "FALCON," FROM CONSIGNEE's of Cargo by the above U named Vessel are requested to send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate de-

livery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, March 31, 1868.

HE Undersigned begs leave to present to the Gentry of Hongkong his pro-lound respects, and also to notify to them to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD by Public Auction, on Horet, where he solicits the kind patronage of the Community.

Heir Cutting, Shampooing, .. Shaving. Hair Cutting and Shampooing, . \$1. W. P. MOORE. Hongkong, April 2, 1868.

NERAL MEETING of Members of hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or the Honoxono CLUB, adjourned from the Pound, 25th March, will be held at the Club House, CAK on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of April, at 2-past 5 o'clock P. M. By order, W. J. LOWNDES,

Lecretury. Hongkong Club,

77th March 1868.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE MR. JAMES BILLINGTON COUGHTRIE IS Il authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from this date. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. GENERAL MEETING of Member

will be held on FRIDAY Next, the 3rd April, at 3 P.M., to consider the effect of the present system of Licensed Gambling on the trade of this Colony. By Order,

J. W. WOOD, Secretary. Hongkong, March 31, 1868.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG, IN BANKRUPTOY,

ATOTICE .- ROBERT HENRY SUBIL, formerly of Victoria in the Colony of Hong. kong, Tavern Keeper, residing at the Hongkong Inn, Queen's Road, then of Macao in the Empire of China, Tayern Keeper, but now of Number 264, Queen's Road West, Victoria aforesaid, Assistant Godown Keeper, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy pled in the Supreme Court on the Thirteenth day of March, 1868,—a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge will be held before the Honorable JOHN SMALE, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House. Victoria, Hongkong, on the Fifteenth day of April, A.D. 1868, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely. At this Meeting, proofs of the Debts of the Creditors will be received

FREDERICK SOWLEY HUFFAM, Esquire, Deputy Registrar of the Court, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. WILLIAM GASKELL is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptey. Supreme Court House, Hongkong, the Thirteenth day of March A.D., 1868. [4

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG-KONG, IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of John Dent, Francis CHOMLEY, HENRY WILLIAM DENT, ALEXANDER TURING and HANS PETER HANSSEN, trading together in co-partnership as Merchants at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and in the Empire of China, under the Style or Firm of DENT & COMPANY.

OTICE.—An adjourned first Meeting of Creditors of the above named Bankrupts will be held at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, before WILLIAM HABTINGS ALEXANDER, Esquire, Registrar of the said Court, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 4th day of April A.D. 1868, at Eleven of the clock in the forengon.

At this Meeting the Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and

F. S. HUPPAM, Esquire, Acting Deputy Registrar, is the Official Assignee, and Mr WILLIAM GARKELL is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

Hongkong, the 30th day of Mar., 1868. [3 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG: KONG, IN BANKRUPTOY,

OTICE .- JOHN DENT, FRANCIS CHOM-LEY, HENRY WILLIAM DENT, ALEX-ANDER TURING and HANS PETER HANSsex, trading together in copartnership at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong and in the Empire of China as Merchants, under the Style of Firm of DENT AND COMPANY, having been adjudged Bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy on the Twenty-ninth day June, in the Year of our Lord One Thoucation for their respective orders of dis- ges, &c. charge, will be held before the Honourable JOHN SMALE, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria, aforesaid, on the Seventeenth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Sixty eight at Eleven of the clock in the forenoon pre-

Mr Frederick Sowley Huffam, Acting Deputy Registrar, is the Official Assigner and Mr WILLIAM GASKELL is the Solicitor, acting in the Bankruptey. Hongkong, the 30th day of March, 1868.[16

NOTICE

HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCET STEAM in various forms, to any part of the Co-

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, 2my CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR.

> CAKE of all kinds baked to order. ... The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Pansons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messia Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive prompt attention,

L. P. WARD.

Amusements.

THE GREAT WORLD CIRCUS. GRAND PERFORMANCE.

> THIS WEEK. Saturday Afternoon For the accommodation of Families.

"EXCELSION TROUPE OF THE This Thursday Night, THE WONDROUS HUBERT MEERS, In his great act of

ZAMPILÆROSTATION. The great ELLA ZOVARA appears To-night. Hongkong, April L. 1868.

LUSITANO THEATRE. THE CHARMIOSCOPE.

ON SATURDAY EVENING, April 4th will be presented the Grand Optical and Magical Entertainment, procured at great expense from Pror. PEPPER. London, consisting of

THE PHANTOM PANTOMIME! OR, A TRIP TO THE MOON. In which will appear Male and Female Peasants, Demons, Goblins, Sprites, Innects, do., &c. THE FLOATING HEAD!!

An illusion that has puzzled the Savans of BOTH HEMISPHERES. THE HINDOO BASKET TRICK !!! A Magical Disappearance. OR, THE DEAD BROUGHT TO LIFE.

Also, the GREAT AMERICAN REBELLION. Illustrated by a series of Mechanical and Dissolving Views, representing BATTLES, SIEGES, BOMBARDMENTS, MARCHES, and B series of Portraits of Celebrated Generals; the Dying Moments of President Lincoln. and his Funeral Obsequies. Together with Mining Views in

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Also a Gallery of CLASSIC STATUARY AND PICTURE To which will be added a Laughable COMICAL GALLERY MECHANICAL ILLUSIONS, CHROMOTONES

FOUNTAINS, &c., &c.

For Particulars see Programmes. An Appropriate Descriptive Lecture Ever Evening. PRICES OF ADMISSION. Box to hold Six Persons Tickets to be obtained at Messrs Lane CRAWFORD & Co.'s, the Hongkong Hotel

SALOON, and at the Theatre. Doors open at 8 P.M. Performance to commence at fl o'clock precisely Hongkong, March 30, 1868.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales

Rooms, Queen's Road, on.

FRIDAY 3rd April, 1868, at Noon,-Essences of Roses, Marechalle, Guards' Bouquet, Verbena, Lavender Water, Marrow and Jamaica Pomatum, Bears' Grease, Cold and Circassian Cream, Scid-Soda, Tooth and Violet Powders, Puff and Tooth Brushes, Lip Salve, Essand, Eight Hundred and Sixty-seven A sences of Ginger and Peppermint, Lemon PUBLIC SITTING for the said Bankrupts to and Thali, Glycerine, Citrate of Magnepass their last examination and make appli- sia, Fancy Toilet Soap, Assorted Lozen-

Bowie Knives, Telescopes, Framed Engravings, Pipes, Glass and Crockery, 50 cases Brandy.

10 cases Sherry. 310 bags White Manila Sugar. 100 boxes Raisins. And any other GOODS that may offer. TERMS OF SALE, -Cash before delivery

Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots with all faults and errors description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, April 1, 1868.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell MONDAY.

the 6th April, 1868, at Noon, at

No. 3, Pechili Terrace, Elgin Street Sundry Household FURNITURE & EFFECTS, comprising: Dining Tables and Chairs, Wardrobe, Sideboard, Fender and Irons, Whatnots, Lamps, Dressing Tables Engravings,

Paintings, Glass and Crockery, Cutlery and Plated Ware, &c., &c. On view from the 2nd instant. TERMS OF SALE, -Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, April 1, 1868.

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION. A # ESSRS. FAWCETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

This and Every Evening SATURDAY, the 4th April, 1868, at 11 A.M.,-A new Assortment of GOODS, ex "EVEREST," consisting of: 100 boxes Yellow Soap, 28 lbs. boxes.

25 dozen Opening Knives. 50 dozen Sailora Knives. 20 casks Bass's Pale Ale. 20 casks Guinness's Stout.

30 dozen Gridirons. 20 dozen Frying Pans. 10 dozen Saucepans. A quantity of Galvanized Clews, Top-

sail Irons. 3 cases Prime York Hams. 2 cases Cheddar Cheese.

20 dozen Deck Scrapers.

15 cases Superior Pale Sherry. 5 butts Rigging Leather. Locks, Screwa, Boat Nails, Scissors, Coffee Mills, Cruet Frames, Plated Ware, Dish Covers, Shoe Brushes, Pottling Taps, Glass Ware, Crockery Ware, and a fine assortment of STORES of a very

unusual character. TERMS or SALE. Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, April 2, 1868.



STEAM FOR Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

HE PENINSULAR' AND ORIENTAL STEAM "ORISSA," Captain HALL, Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on WEDNESDAY, 8th April, at 7 A.M. CARGO and PARCELS will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until P.M. on the 7th April. For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and

Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention prejudice wnich may happen from incorrect was on such declaration

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, March 25, 1868,

CONTRACTOR PROPERTY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK, CITEAMERS of this line will leave Hong Nong for Yokohama and San Francisco

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Contral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cu-nard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to Ameand, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.
Through Bills of Lading given for Ports

Steam Tugs.

NOTICE THE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN, 1 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foodhow, or to the Un-

dersigned. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongrong, February 10, 1868.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

HIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea, For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong. JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

Secretary. Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

NOTICE,

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG. KONG AND WHAMPOA, (LIMITED.)

STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN," MHIS Powerful TUG is available at any 1 moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea. For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong, or to the Captain on Board.

Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

The A 1 Clipper ship WILLIAM WHYTE, Master, will be despatched for the above ports NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship at an early date, having the greater portion

Hongkong, February 21, 1867.

1,378 Tons Register, SEDGLEY, Maater, will have quick des-

Notices to Consignees.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

. . . 1 Basket Feathers. Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. . . . 1 Case Paper.

HE above Hotel is now open, where Families and Gentlemen can find superior accommodation. Private Rooms for Dinner parties. Broakfast from 9 to 10 A.M. 1 to 2 P.M. Dinner at N.B.—The Public Bar will be open on

HONGKONG HOTEL

Manager. Hongkong, March 6, 1868, "STAG HOTEL."

CHAS. S. DUGGAN,

Saturday, the 7th instant

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD. DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment.

EDMUND R. HOLMES, Proprietor. Hongkong, July 22, 1867. ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS, Entrance-Wellington Street.

DAVID BROWNE. (LATE MANAGER OF THE ALBION HOTEL,) BEGS to inform his Friends and the Pub-lie that he has opened the above Bar and Bowling Alleys, and trusts by strict attention to Business, and the comfort of visitors, to merit a share of their patronage. Iced Fancy Drinks of every Description. N.B. The above-named will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the late Proprietors.

C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

HONGKONG.

Bongkong, February 1, 1868.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868. ATRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY M BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT. Hollywood Road, next door to the Horse, DE EUROPE.

Hongkoug, May 1, 1867,

NOTICE.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P.

With disconnecting Engines.

J. B. ENDICOTT.

Shipping. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.

of her cargo engaged, For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship

patch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, March 25, 1868.

Ex " Tigre," 5th December, 1867.

U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, March 27, 1868.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

as follows :-Great Republic, 1 on or about Apr. 15. Capt. DOANK. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohams with above-named steamer, Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the

Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Pa-Return tickets issued at a reduction of

rica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

Hongkong, February 27, 1868,

nama and Aspinwall 10 % upon the whole amount for the round

> various lines to Europe. Tickets issued Co., and North German Lloyds.

and St. Nazaire, France. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent,

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SUN FIRE OFFICE, THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Office, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on the usual Terms and Conditions. Risks will also be accepted at the following Ports :-

Canton, by Messrs DEACON & Co. Macao, ,, E. L. Lanca, Eaq. , Messrs Boyn & Co. Fulichau, Messrs Kinneau & Co. Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to, ADAM SCOTT & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, May 22, 1866. ... GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. REDUCTIONS IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. ETACHED and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and

Other Dwelling Houses, used

their Contents.

strictly as such, and their . d per cent. Contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. Ac., and their Contents, . I per cent. ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. Agents. Hongkong, October 19 1865.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

h per cent.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information: apply to.

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

SAMARANG SEA AND BIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co.

Macao, Aug. 4, 1806.

MERCHAN'TS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Conper cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their per cent. Contents, per annum.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. . 1 per cent. and their Contents, per annum. GILMAN & Co.

Agents North British and Mercantil Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

SHORT PERIOD RATES. ATOT exceeding one | 1 of the annual rate. Above I month, and not exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months, and

not exceeding 6 Above 6 mouths, and not exceeding 12 ) the annual rate. mouths,

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, August 8, 1866. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILL INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809,: CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927 ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL. £500.000.

Managing Agents in China, - Messrs AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.; Hongkong Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY. Esq., M.D THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Com-

pany are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marino risks and issue Po at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1367.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed A gents of the above Corporation are tionably. prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Hongkong, December 26, 1807.

lasurances. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STERLING.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agenta for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000, in any one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandize, on the usual terms.

HULLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 8, 1867. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Iolliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Fuhchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board. JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary.

REDUCTION OF RATES. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept Short period Risks at the following Reduced Scalo, viz:-Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate

Above 1 mouth and not exceeding 3, ... \$ bove 3 months and not exceeding 6, ... \$ Above 6 months and

not exceeding 12, the annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hougkong, August 7, 1866.

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GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Agents, China Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, August 7, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. NTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:-Detached and Semi-detached

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their per cent Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their . . . per cent

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

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IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hougkong, August 24, 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000. LIFE DEPARTMENT.) £2 perCent per dunum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the repregentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding

£1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned

without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from uninten-

Premiums payable Half-yearly or A mally at the option of the Assured: Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s, per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. Policies ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents, terms. Hongkong, September 3, 1864,

insurances.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against KIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on

Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PERMICH FOR FIRE INSURANCE. HE Undersigned have received Instruction to REDUCE Rates for FIRE INSU-RANCE for short periods as follows : -

On Policies not exceeding 1 month from 1 per cent to 1 per cent. ROD S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Horgkong, August 21, 1866, REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE HE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th Octoher last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium

under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF. FEOTS, therein contained. In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed from the Town, the rate of Premium wil be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, be

ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-BURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--

Detached and semi-detached. Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their per cem Contents.

Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their f per cent Contents. First Class China House and 12 per cent their Contents,

Other Risks as per special arrangement ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, November 9, 1866. LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have received Autho-I rity by a recent Mail to issue LIFE POLACIES for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hougkong, January 6, 1865.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above .. Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and balance.

GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUE-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

LUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed . Agonts in Hongkoug for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent has been declared on the Net Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866. Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that

date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. Hongkong, September 7, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL HE Undersigned having been appointed

Secretaries and Agents of this Associ-

ation, are prepared to issue Rolicies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in Loudon, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per structing which they have great facilities. fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Share on which \$25 have been paid, is pay-Company for that year divided pro rata to able on and after MONDAY, the 17th inst. the amount of premium paid by each po- at the Offices of the Corporation, Wardley

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE following Reduced Rates will be L charged in future for Short period Insurances, viz :-

One month, .... } per cent. Three months, Six months, ... ... JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insura

Hongkong, August 6, 1866. DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSU ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Oo, Hongkong, August 1806.

Insurances.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTICE is horeby given that an Agency of this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Mesers Margesson & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at By order of the Court of Directors,

JOHN S. MACKINTOSH, Secretary. Shanghai, September 28, 1867.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY:

prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA. ESTABLISHED 1834.

Subscribed Capital, .....£500,000. Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000.

PHE Undersigned are empowered accept LIFE Assurances in the above Society. Full particulars given on appli-

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1868. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARIN

INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. T the request of the Undersigned A Messis GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

have taken temporary charge of the follow ing Insurance Companies :-Phoenix Assurance Company. Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-

ince Company. London and Provincial Marine Insurance Universal Marine Insurance Companyo

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS. COURT OF DERECTORS. Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORTER, JR. JULIUS MENKE, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR. SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

JAS. P. DUNCANSON WILLIAM LEMANN,

Hongkong, . . VIUTOR KRESSER, Esq. Shanghae, . DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County HONGKONG.

INTEREST. ALLOWED

ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent. ,, ,,

5 per cent. ,, ,; LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER, Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House,

No, 1, Queen's Road, Hongkong, March 2, 1868. HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Fee on the Transfer of Shares in the Corporation will henceforth be One Dollar for each Certificate issued, instead of Twenty-five Cents upon each individual Share as formerly.

VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that the REGIS TERS of SHARES of the Corpora

15th day of February next (both days includ-

ed), during which period no transfer of

Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE DIVIDEND declared for the Year ending 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 | ing new Boilers to Steam-ships for con-House, Queen's Road, where Shareholders or general purposes, areexecuted with the are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 14, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Share. First of which will fall due on the Rates, 15th of March, and the second on the 30th For further particulars, apply at the of April next, and will be payable at the Office of Hungkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Queen's Road, Hongkong, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of twelve per centum HE Undersigned having been appointed per annum will be charged after the above done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the By order of the Board of Directors, J. B. ENDICOTT,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

Docks.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. HE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and

Mesters to their Establishments at Hong-KONG and WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks in Whampon, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition,

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours, and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15 feet at Spring Tides. The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry-posses-HE Undersigned having been appointed sing all the necessary appliances for the Agents for the above Companies are Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c. A STEAM TUO always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to

sea at Reduced Rates. All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans. For further pacticulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya,

Hongkong.

J. B. ENDICOTT, Secretary

Masters N. B.—The Consignees of Masters of any Vessels seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Dock, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject-when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company,

Hongkong, March 18, 1865. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. CAPITAL.—\$750,000. IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH. THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER-DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises

is submitted for the information of the ABERDEEN DOCK.

DOCK No. 1. Built of GRANITE. Length, Breath Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 181, Neap Tides, 16 ,, NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 Near Tides, 211, This Dock is now under course of cou-

atruction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS. DOCK A. Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 16 a 17ft.

Neap Tides, 13 a 15, This can be used either as one or two Docks. DOCK B. Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18

The above are the largest Docks in China and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

Built of Woon. 260 feet. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14 ... Fifted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

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Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6 ... Neap Tides, DOCK E. 120 feet. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 ,, Near Tides.

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for

small vessels, at very low rates,

WORKSHOPS. The Workshops on the Premises, both at Abordeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwtion will be CLOSED from the 1st to the ing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c. -capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c. BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT The company in addition to executing

FOUNDRY. Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships utmost despatch.

Repairs are prepared to tender for supply-

The Company's Stores will (when re quired) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, do., do.

STEAM TUG. The Company's powerful Steam Tug Fame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always Denotice that the Fourth CALL of Two in readiness to Tow Seiling Vessels from Hundred Dollars is made in two Instal- Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and ments of One Hundred Dollars each per will take them back or to Sea at reduced

> Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street. Hongkong. JOHN S. LAPRAIK, Secretary.

N. B .- The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their com. plaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, October 13, 1866,

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Post-Office Soll Beations.

MAILS WAL CLOSE;-For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL CUTTA.-Per "SCOTIA," at 1 P.M. on Saturday on the 31st day of December, 1867. next, the 4th April.

MAILS BY THE "ORISSA." The Contract Packet "ORISSA" will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on WEDNESDAY, the 8th April, at 7 a.m., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordi- Port. nary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M. on the 7th April: Letters, &c. may be posted in the night box from 9 P.M. on the 7th April until 5 A. w. on the fol-

lowing morning All Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on the 8th April will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a

Late Fee of 18 cents. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 6 A.M. and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 5 A.M. on the 8th

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vid Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the l'acket from 6.30 to 6,50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the

postage, after which no Letters can be Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence | conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. of Box Holders will be received at the Hook, Son & Co. window set apart for the purpose, on

the East Side of the building. All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stanips. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to

the United Kingdom will be sent on, charged with a line of One Shilling in addition to the postage. Letters posted after 5 a.m. on the 8th April will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as carly as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 9 P.M. on the 7th April, will be return-

ed until after the mail is closed. Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondeuce, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees," when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the

lower left-hand corner. All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January, 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein apscified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmuster General. General Post-Office. Hougkong, March 25, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

KOM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING,

Marine Surveyor. Foochow, August I, 1867.

NOTICE. A/ITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. Daine, Esq. at Foodbow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS, Chop Min,

Fagoda Anchorage. Foochore. Fonchow, August 1, 1867.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORDES PARKER.

Saigon, December 20, 1867. NOTICE.

IR. SIDNEY DEACON is nutborized to vi sign our Firm per procuration from

DEACON & Co. CANTON, February 1, 1808. URING the absence of Mr J. H. Lab

from the Colony, Mr T. COSHING Labb is authorised to sign our firm per pro-LADD & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ELDRED HALTON in our Firm ceased

on the 30th June last, and Mr James Pen-DER DUNCANSON was admitted a Partner on the 1st July. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1866

NO LUE TRRYLE HOLME has been admitted III a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co.

Nagasaki, January 1, 1867. NOTICE. A S my Engagement ceases in May next, all outstanding Accounts for the past

Two Years must be sent in immediately for payment. MARY HASTELOW RANDLE Superintendent. Diocesan School.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868, NOTICE. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased North side. The House contains eight good on the 1st January, 1860. BOSMAN & Co.

Hongkong, November 19, 1867. Have this day established myself as a Ge-neral Commission Merchant under the htyle or firm of VAN CORDT & Co. W. C. VAN OURDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE. I. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong January 2, 1808.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkoug, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE. FROM and after this date Mr George F Bowman will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. I FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866.

A. FERGUSON & Co. HE Business will be henceforth carried

on under the same Name by the Undersigned. A. D. MITCHELL, J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FERRS.

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68 NOTICE.

JY Business, as Ship and Insurance W. Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be

J. S. HOOK. Hongkong, September 23, 1867. NOTICE.

1. R. J. MURRAY FORBES is autho-Vi rized to sign our name at Canton from

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868. NOTICE.

A R. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to IVI sign our Firm per procuration from

DEACON & Co. Canton, February 1, 1868.

NOTICE. Mr CLAUS BUDDE YV to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. AAR, JOHN HOW CHEVERTON IS AU-What thorized to sign our Firm per procu-ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. Hougkong, February 21, 1868.

Houses and Lands.

STORAGE \*AN be had in First Class Cranite Godowns at Wanchai, on very moderate For particulars, apply to

CHARLES RIVINGTON, At Messrs Landstein & Co.'s Office. Stanley Street. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

TO LET. TOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hook & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to U. DUBOST & Co.

Hongkong, November 6, 1867. TO LET. THE Premises situated in Queen's Road Stanley Street, and at present occu-

pied by Messrs H. MARSH & Co. For particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1867. TO BE LET. SHOP, situated in the best part of the

A Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete. N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can had with above, if required Address "Z," care of Hongkong Dia-

Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE HE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866. HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated a the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messes Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865. TO LET. O. 3, PECHILI TERRACE,

Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses: Rent. \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO LET. TWO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace, A Spring Gardens, with or without Go-downs, rent moderate. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO BE LET. A a good view of the Harbour from the Rooms with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front and back, Kitchens, Servant's Rooms and

Godowns on ground Floor, Apply to TURNER & Co. Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

TO LET. THE PREMISES situated at Fedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Mesars AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868. For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET. Furnished or Unfurnished. THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at the Albany.

TO LET. HE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messra ARNHOLD, KAR-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns, Possession to be had on the 1st March.

Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

Apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868. TO BE LET.

TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63. Apply to GAVIN THOMPSON.

at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s. Hengkong, December 16, 1867. TO LET. N OFFICE with Godown and Compradore's Room.

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

TO LET. 1 0. 5, Pechili Terrace, Elgin Street Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hougkong, February 3, 1868.

Intimations.

week or more to visit Shanghai on business, to be absent 3 or 4 weeks.

H. H. WINN, Hongkong, March 20, 1868. ATEITHER Captain nor Agents will be responsible for any Debts contracted

by the Crew of the barque " Navarino." PELER WITBROG, Hongkong, March 23, 1868.

NOTICE. ENTS and Accounts collected with punctuality and despatch, Distraint WARRANTS for Rent issued and executed.

Security if Required. HENRIQUE RODRIGUES. 33, Bridges Street. Hongkong, March 18, 1868.

NOTICE. I) ENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with 1 punctuality and despatch.

Distraint WARRANTS for Rent IS-SUED and EXECUTED. Security, if required, THOS. W. BARRINGTON. 53, Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, February 17, 1868. CONFECTIONERY, ICE CREAMS, &c. HE Undersigned beg to inform their Friends and the Public that they have opened the Premises Nos. 88 and 90, Queen's Road Central, lately known as the ALBION HOTEL," as a Cafe, and for the sale of CONFECTIONERY of all descrip-

tions, manufactured by a thoroughly competent European artiste. In connection with the above is also a BAKERY, under the charge of an experienced European, from which the best English and French Bread, Brown Bread, Ship Bread, Biscuits, &c., of all descriptions, will be supplied at moderate rates.

Ice Creams, Ornamental Cakes of all descriptions, Bon Bons, Pies, Jellies, Syrups, &c., &c., of the Best quality supplied on the shortest notice. A Private Room, Large Airy Billiard Sa-

loon, and Piano, for the recreation of The undersigned hope by supplying none but first-class articles, and by strict atten-

tion to business, to merit a share of the public Patronage. F. FRANCIS & Co Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

INTE have heard that, some Foreign Merchant wanted to procure several hundred hats of Rice Paper from the Wo Cheong shop of Canton; and that afterwards A Hoy in Hongkong has got the job, pretending that he will get them made by the Wo Cheong shop; but he only got a pattern from our shop with the name stamped on it, through the hand of Hwat Puy, an assistant Compradore of BOURJAU & Co., and got them made in Hongkong after the pattern; falsifying that they are made by our shop. Now the Merchant who has engaged A Hoy to procure the hats, must know that himself is deceived, and had better examine the hats before they be packed up, for if A Hoy can make good hats, why should be falsify the name of Wo Cheong? We have no desire of getting the work, but are afraid of spoiling our name, therefore we are obliged to make it known. If any merchant wants good hats, let him come to Canton and apply to the Tung Cheong shop on the Honam side, then he will make no business and moderate charges, to merit a

WO CHEONG, of Canton.

Hongkong, March 23, 1868. SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, NOTICE.

TYOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in The Shanghai Steam Navigation Company are requested to send them to the Agents of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares and the stock dividend added HOUSE in Queen's Road, commanding pending the issue of New Share Certificates ROWLEY MILLER, Secretary & Auditor.

> PORTRAITS MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS, Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT" and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJEE. BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canton River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkong, November 15, 1867.

intimations.

THE Members of the late Hongkong Vo-1 lunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

Hougkong, March 13, 1867. VIEW OF HONGKONG.

R. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong that he will be prepared to receive orders for COLOURING the Lithographic View of Hongkong issued with the Overland China Mail of 15th Novat the following rates :--

Full Coloured... Shaded in Pencil. A Specimen of the Full Coloured Lithograph can be seen at this Office,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. HIS Medicine is universally admitted L to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so suitable to the climates of India and China as this fine and invigorating medicine. is particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will find in this wonderful remedy a kind of talisman whereby they may insure a restoration to robust health;

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. The science of Medicine has never before produced any remedy that can be compared to this wonderful Ointment, as it cures after all other means have failed, all wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most THE Undersigned begs to say to his Pa- inveterate skin diseases peculiar to the clitients, that he will be required in a mates of India and China. It is the true friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as certain old sores can be removed by it that cannot be conquered by any other treat-

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

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Jr. Esq. Director H. B. GIBB, Esq. W. ADAMSON, Esq. WALDEMAR NISSEN, R. BRAND, Esq. GEO. MAGLEAN Esq. PALANJEE FRAMJES, Rev. J. J. IRWIN, Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public A. HEARD, Esq. Ivon Murkay, Esq.

H. B. LEMANN, Esq. M. D. Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman. THOS. SUTHERLAND, H. G. THOMSETT, Esq. G. J. HELDAND, Esq.

Donations of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most thankfully received. Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties of Superintendent from this date, to whom or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home" hould be applied for,

Hongkong, September 21, 1866. SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES-The Colonial Secretary, The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq. GEO. HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-

Mr Young, House Surgeon W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer. TERMS OF ADMISSION-1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 (2 Beds in ea.

(Public Wards), These Charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Tabla. All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Per-

son or Persons resident in the Colony, Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended:-1st Class, \$60. \$20.

W. PATERSON Treasurer. Hongkong, January 1, 1868. LLINGWORTH & Co., having established themselves at West Point, next below the Hongkong and CHINA CAS Co., are prepared to do all kinds of ENGINE AND BOILER WORK

SHIPSMITH'S WORK of any description. They have also erected a FOUNDRY the Premises, and are prepared to execute IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS.

Hongkong, August 22, 1867. BOWRA & Co., AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

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Water Boats in constant readiness to supply | liche genhudet werden konned. Ships with Pure Fresh Water. Sails made and repaired on the Premises,

Mr WILLIAM GASKELL, ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, PROCTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC. REMOYED to No. 2, CLUB CHAMBERS D' Aquilar Street. Opposite Messrs Douglas Laprain & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1866.

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS. PATERSON & HANDLEY House and Ship Plumbers, Copper

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Apply to C. M. BROWNE,

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mall a moltz, General & Commission Agents NAGASAKI.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CAN-VAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shipchandlers' Stores, as well as Salt Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rates as they can be purchased at in any of the China Ports.

KARUTH HENISZEN & Co. Manila, June 22, 1866.

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Hongkong Lightering and Storage Co. HE above Company is now prepared to LAND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE

Shanghai, January, 1867.

Goods in first class Granite Godowns at moderate Rates. J. S. HOOK, SON & Co., Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

NOTICE, IT is hereby notified that the portion of Robinson Road which lies between Castle Road and Bonham Road is CLOSED to the Public from this date during certain Alterations and Repairs. By order,

Surveyor General. Surveyor General's Office, Hongkong, December 17, 1867. MANTED by a YOUNG MAN, a situation as Clerk or Book-keeper. nominal salary would be accepted, immediate employment being a greater object. Highest references can be given.

W. WILSON,

Address "R.," China Mail Office. Hongkong, December 27, 1867 WANTED DY a Gentleman just arrived, a Situation D as BOOK-KEEPER and ACCOUNT-ANT. Good shorthand writer; thoroughly understands Shipping and Insurance. Address "H. B. B.," Office of this paper.

Hongkong, January 18, 1868. KONIGLICH PREUSSISCHES CONSULA

HONGKONG, DEN 9TEN MARZ, 1868. NIE nachstehonde Bekanntinachung des Königlichen Geschäftsträgers zu Japan wird hierdurch zur Kunde der preussischen Unterthanen und Schutzgenossen

BEKANNTMACHUNG. Da nach officiellen Nachrichten in Japan der Krieg zwischen Seiner Majestät dem Mikado und dem Taikuhn ausgebrochen ist, und die Beobachtung strenger Neutralitat dadurch nothwendig wird, so macht der Unterzeichnete Geschäftstrüger Seiner Majestät des Königs von Preussen in Ja-And hope that by a strict attention to pan die preussischen Unterthanen und

J. MENKE,

Stellvertreter des Consuls.

Schutzgenossen darauf aufmerksam, dass eine Betheiligung an dem Kriege, selbst in der Eigenschaft als Nicht Combattant, die Zuführung von Kriegs und Transportschiffen, die Zuführung und Beförderung von Militärpersonen, Depeschen und zur Kriegs-AUOTIONEERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL- contrebande gehörigen Gegenständen in MAKERS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, proussischen Kauffahrteischiffen für irgend einen der beiden Theile nach den Grundsätzen des Volkerrechts eine Verletzung der Neutralität in sich schliessen und als feind-Die im Militärdienste befindlichen Per-

sonen können daher nach Kriegsgebrauch behandelt werden, während die Schiffe und sonstigen Transportmittel der Wegnahme und Confiscation unterliegen, welche auch auf die Uebrige, etwa vorhandene, Neutralen gehörige Ladung ausgedehnt werden Jede Verletzung der Neutralität durch

preussische Unterthanen und Schiffe würde dieselben ausserdem der Gefahr aussetzen. ihrer Ausprüche auf den Schutz der Königlichen Regierung sowie auf die in dem preussisch-japanischen Vertrage garantirten Rechte und Privilegien verlustig zu gehen. Hiogo, Kobé, den 18ten Februar, 1868. Der Königliche Geschäftsträger.

(gez.) VON BRANDT.

Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

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FOR SALE. O OAO Pieces OREGON PINE LUM-4.444 BER, from 1 to 6 inches thick. measuring 98,354 feet, 172 Pieces OREGON PINE DECK PLANK, measuring 6,042 feet, now landing from ship "Belvedere." Apply to,

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1868. NOTICE

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SALE. THE Hulk CELESTIAL, as she now lies at Aberdeen, in good order, well found, and suitable for a floating store or

For particulars, apply to JNO. S. LAPRAIK, Hongkong, March 16, 1868,

IETETIC BAEL, the new DIET, so highly recommended by the Faculty to those suffering from derangement of the Digestive Organs. Can be procured from GEO. GLASSE,

The Victoria Dispensary Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

FOR SALE. "HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messra SMITH KENNEDY & Co.

For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

10() Barrels PRIME PORK and 100 barrels MESO DIMES

SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1867.

FOR SALE. HAMPAGNE in quarte and pints. Duc de Montebello. Eugene Clicquot. De St. Marceaux & Co. HESSE & Co.

Hongkong, February 17, 1868. (ASTOR OIL, in cases of twenty Gallous

each, or in quantities to suit Purcha-To be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

THE New Patent Silicated Carbon FIL TER, small enough to be carried in the Pocket. No traveller in the East should be without one. To be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

FOR SALE. 20,000 CUBIC FEET MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per French Barque "MARIA MORTON.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

FOR SALE DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

FOR SALE 1RON Water TANKS, of 400 gallons ench. Apply to REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, February 3, 1868.

FOR SALE. ). Very Superior DRY SHERRY in 2 doz. V. S. D. S. R. W. W. ) Superior DRY SHERRI in 2 doz. cares. Just received ex "THE TWEED." Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

FOR SALE 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 , PORT.

Hongkong, February 1, 1868.

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FOR SALE AT INVOICE COST. GERMAN Printing Establishment A quite new, containing one Cylinder Press, made in Hamburg, a small hand Press, a great quantity of Pancy and running Types, wrought iron chests, &c. complete in every respect. Delivery may be had at once. Invoice price \$2,000.

For particulars, apply to C. A. SAINT, or to DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

FOR SALE. MUNTZ'S Patent Yellow METAL VI SHEATHING, from 20 to 24 oz. Composition NAILS, Brown Sheathing

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex late Arrivals DRIME California CHEESE. California BUTTER. 100 barrels Prince Hamburg Mess PORK Prime Westphalia HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

ROOFING AND SHEATHING FELT. ONSTANTLY on hand for Sale by the Undersigned. ROZARIO & Co.

Hongkong, January 29, 1868. ATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.

SHERRY is 3 CLARET , 1 BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED ITARMONIUMS and other Musical I INSTRUMENTS. Ohristy Ministrel's SONGS. Pianoforto

VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c. INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired. O. WAGNER, 28, Hollywood Road,

Hongkong, August 2, 1907,

For Sale.

EX MAIL STEAMER. YON SAUSAGES in best condition. L CHEESE and HAMS. Assorted French CONFECTIONARY. Malaga RAISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells. Peeled ALMONDS in tins. Eleme FIGS in tins.

PRUNES in bottle. Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBREASTS. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hougkong, December 20, 1867. FOR SALE. FEW cases of very superior SHERRY just received ox " Channel Queen." Superior Amontillado SHERRY

in 3 doz. cases. Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3 Extra Superine SHERRY in 2 8881

Quarter-casks (cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, January 27, 1868. ENDRIE, Piesse & Lubix's Fine As-11 sortment of PERFUMES.

DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE, Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs. Hongkong, December 4, 1867.

FOR SALE. MUNTZ' Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and NAILS.

Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT A .WINE, Th. Cy. Sandenian, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC Various Superior Hungarian WINES.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867. FOR SALE. ex. Belted Will and Late Arrivals.

DOURDON'S Pressure and Vacuum COPPER and BRASS WIRE of assorted SHEET LEAD and ZINC.

LEAD PIPE of sizes. TUCK'S RUBBER PACKING. RUBBER and CANVAS HOSE. BLACKSMITH'S BELLOWS and WORKING

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English and California CHEESE. GALVANISED NAILS, HOOKS and THIMBLES and CLEW IRONS. BRASS and IRON LOCKS of all kinds.

THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, March 3, 1858.

CHAMPAGNE. DOEDERER, CARTE NOIRE. The only Champagne awarded the Medal of the First Class at the Paris Exhi Apply to

SANDER & Co. Hongkong, February 27, 1868.

FOR SALE. Just Arrived. BRO DWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Price. Address "A.," Office of this paper.

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Bost STOUT. Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, March 19, 1868.

FOR SALE.

Ex Sir Launcelot, Fiery Cross, and other Arrivals. DASS'S PALE ALE in quarts and pints. D London Brown STOUT, in do. Guinness' STOUT, in do. Hennessy's and Martell's BRANDY.

English OLD TOM GIN. Hubback's PAINTS. Do. boiled and raw LINSEED OIL At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, Feb. 22, 1868.

COCIAL LIFE OF THE UHINESE in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$5.00. Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

GREY ARAB HORSE FOR SALE. COURTEEN Hands and upwards, quiet I to ride or drive, and carries a Lady well; age under 7 years. Price very mo-

Apply by Letter to "X. Y.," Office of this Paper. Hougkong, February 4, 1868.

EX "CARMARTHENSHIRE" AND "A VON." DASS' BEER in Pints and Quarts. EDMUND R. HOLMES, Stag Hotel. Hongkong, February 13, 1868.

AT THE STAG HOTEL STORES, -NO, 110, QUEEN'S ROAD, Just Landed. Ex THE TWEED.

DICKLES, JAMS, SALT, VINEGAR, CURRANTS, HERBS, Raspherry VINEGAR, CATSUP, MUSTARD, Loaf SUGAR, BLACKING. Giuget BRANDY. Booth's OLD TOM. CHAMPAGNE in pint. Chedder Loaf CHEESE, Prime YORK HAMS. EDMUND HOLMES.

Honghoug, January 9, 1868,

For Sale.

CHANGHAI SHEEP, -A few very Prime For Sale; can be seen on board the Barque "SALACIA." Hongkong, March 30, 1868. FOR SALE.

HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissi-CLARET, real Château Margaux. Hant Bages. L. Espaire Duroc.

BRANDY, Honnessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases. BEER and PORTER in bottle. BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.

A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

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GREAT SACRIFICES!

SPLENDID BARGAINS!!!

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Buckskin and Angola VESTS. Merino and Alpaca VESTS: White Marcella and Linen VESTS. Colored Linen VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, compris-Black and Blue Broad CLOTES and

MELTONS, BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS, TWEEDS and FLANNELS, of this Season's Patterns. Also a new assortment of HOSIERY and SHIRTS of-

LONG CLOTH, with Linen FRONTS, &c. Silk and Wool SHIRTS. Merino, Cotton, Lambswool and Flannel DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS. Merino, Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE.

LADIES' COTTON HOSE. Dent's Kid and Driving GLOVES. COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera BELTS and Cambric HANDKEROHIEFS Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS, in the newest Shapes.

Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES. UMBRELLAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth and Hair BRUSHES. PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS, And a great variety of other GOODS.

MULLER AND CLAUSSEN. Queen's Road. Hongkong, February 5, 1868.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at Eleven o'clock, on

SATURDAY

BC (in diamond), 1.31 bales Bengal COTTON. NEB 11 bales Bengal NEBB COTTON. Stored in the Godowns, of Mr C. Cohen, And at 12 o'clock, at the Godowns of

Messrs J. J. Dos Remedios & Co., Spring Gardens,-SD 45 bales BENGAL COTTON.

BANDA BANDA Ex "MERCHANTMAN."

(All more or less dumaged by sea water. TERMS OF SALE,-Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. C. D. BOTTOMLEY,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 2, 1868.

GREAT WORLD CIRCUS. CONTINUED SUCCESS.

LAST NIGHT OF THE SEASON THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING. 2ND APILIL.

GRAND FASHIONABLE NIGHT. MOST SELECT IND VARIED PRO GRAMME. SECOND NIGHT OF THE

WONDROUS HUBERT MEERS IN HIS GRAND, THRILLING AND DARING ACT

ZAMPILLÆROSTATION FLYING TRAPEZE. The exquisite and finished skill of this artiste, annihilates the difficulties which

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Tickets for sale at the Circus Pavilion

from 12 Noon to 6 P.M., and at the Box Office previous to Performance. Private Boxes, 4 Chairs, . . \$10.00. Hongkong, April 2, 1868,

New Advertisements.

FOR MANILA. The A 1 Spanish Barque "SANTA ANNA, GAVITO, Master, will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1868.

EALED TENDERS (in Duplicate) marked "Tenders for Bills," will be received at this Office until Noon on FRIDAY, the 3rd April, for Bills on the Lorda Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the Governor General of India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' sight, in exchange for current Dollars of Hongkong at 7.1.7, or number one clean Moxican Dollars counted. Bills on London will not be drawn for

sums under £1,000, and on Calcutta under Rupees 10,000. The accepted Tenders will be at once notified to the respective parties by letter, re- coming Season, forming the largest and

questing them to lodge the amount to the | best assortment of GOODS they have vet credit of the Commissariat Account at the offered Oriental Bank Corporation, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this office the Bills will be issued. In order to save time, it is requested that the sets of Bills required may be detailed in the margin of the Tender, and it is particu- Dresses, a large assortment of Evening larly requested that the Tenders may be in

REDMOND UNIACKE, Den. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, March 30, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. N Extraordinary General Meeting o A the Shareholders of the above Com-

pany will be held at the Offices of the Company on WEDNESDAY, the 8th April next, at 3 P.M., to take into consideration certain proposed changes in the constitution of the Company. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers H. F. I. Co. Hongkong, March 31, 1858. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE. AR. ROBERT WATMORE will assume IVI the duties of Secretary to the Union INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, on the 1st of April, 1868. By order of the Directors,

C. D. WILLIAMS, Secretary. Hongkong, March 26, 1808.

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## THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURBDAY, AFRIL 2, 1868.

FOREIGN OFFICE SECRECY. THE Duily News has applied the match should have been neglected. to a train which has, for some years, been session of Parliament has witnessed the exhibition of considerable indignationsecrecy which pervades our Foreign Office certain gentlemen in that department, no one had been bold enough to propose an enquiry into its administration and the almost irresponsible power which it exer-The moving spirit of the Foreign Office may be defined in the single word "secrecy." To such an extraordinary extent has this been carried out that the 12th. The versel was named, with the irresponsible action of a foreign secretary -irresponsible, that is, until the mischief daughter of Rear Admiral Superintendent war from which honourable retreat is construction, and propelling power, and as to the rightfulness of the cause for which it is undertaken. To do the Foreign Office justice it resorts to war, as a rule, simply as a last resource. It bungles armour-plating, and average 605 tons meaalong until, by a judicious combination of surement. Their other dimensions are :temporizing with the disloyal peace party Leugth between perpendiculars, 170 ft. and evading questions put by would-be. extreme breadth, 29 ft.; depth in hold 12 ft. wiseacres in the House, at home, with 5 in. Their propelling power consists each that curious many-threaded policy which by two sets of engines having a combined is first bombastic then sickeningly oring- nominal power of 160 horse. The engines ing, and finally blackwardly avenging for the Magpie have been manufactured abroad, it has reduced the nation and its for the Admiralty by Messra Summers and opponent to a state from which no nego- Day, of Southampton. The accommodaciations can rescue it with honor to our name. Sometimes Great Britain as represented by this capable department they have not by any means been neglected, acts the part of a cur which yelps and as they will average upwards of 11.5 knots barks but never had any idea of biting under full speed. [vide Lord J. Russell's despatches passim]. Its employés of the various Consulates, especially those of China and other countries where denominated "services," complain bitterly of the mismanagement and without a word of explanation until the | 40-pounder guns. change was made." But yet more, its capacity for obstruction, and which in reality forms the greatest danger of the says, "They are altogether very fit for present system or want of system, is that, the purpose for which they are supposed unless a vigilant watch be kept, it can to be intended—the suppression of piracy successfully carry the ratification of ob- in the Chinese and Japanese seas; but sign to oblivion the just complaints of the world they would probably be useless. British subjects regarding either the pro- There is no reason, therefore, why they visions of such treaties or infringements | should not be sent out as fast as they can thereof on the part of barbarous nations, be completed." We are sorry that we We have before pointed out to how great | cannot agree with our contemporary, an extent the blame, laid at the door of our representative in Peking and our Consuls at the Treaty Ports, is due to the department which, working in secreey, controls without responsibility, leaving its employes to bear the brunt of dissatisfaction: The proposal for a commission to thoroughly examine into the working of the For ign Office is most opportune, ple set by the Daily News will be fol-

There is of course a vast difference between the secrecy to which objection is Sir F. Bruce was our representative the raised and the judicious reticence which must ever prevail in diplomatic matters. Our home contemporary objects, (and China readers will endorse the objection) to the power of suppressing disagreeable correspondence being vested in the hands of subordinates; to the right of with holding information from Parliament now tacitly admitted; to the resulting secret control it exercises over diplomatic agents; and to the general carelessness pervades its administration, "These be strong words," but will be echoed from all parts of the world with Gown" on the Chinese feast of lantorns: which Foreign Office officials are con-

lowed by other influential London jour-

already but forth respecting the Parade Ground; and we have the greater confidence in again referring to it from a knowledge that the idea in question was tween the City Hall and the Murray of the Praya next the Bathing House, have to be carried inside the line of trees newly planted, having the esplanade already formed for foot passengers only. Of course this would involve some extheir own pockets, but there would be no

necessity for this.

blank cartridge without giving some rea sonable notice—if it were only to place a sentry at each extremity of the ground to warn drivers that if they proceeded frightened. It is not sufficient to say that nineteen times out of twenty no firing we acknowledge that the convenience of the public must occasionally be sacrificed to the necessities of military drill, we see no reason whatever why the very triffing arrangement we have alluded

prepared for explosion. Session after IT is strange that, after all the remon strances which have been made by ever journal in or connected with China respecting the employment of large vessels of course on the opposition side-at the of war, the Admiralty should have persisted in its powers of fitting out a deepdraft squadron for these seas. action. But until the recent questions after time has it been pointed out that in connection with the agencies held by the duties devolving upon our squadron in China are such as to require from the majority speed, very low draft of water and handiness. In spite of this, the London and China Express, with an ignorance of facts which is inexcusable, speaks favourably of the qualifications of the two vessels already launched :-The Magnie, first class serew gun vessel

for China, was launched from No. 2 building-slip of Portsmouth dockyard on the usual ceremony of breaking a bottle of wine on her atem, by Miss Wellesley, eldest is done-may involve the empire in a G. G. Wellesley, C.B. The Magpie is one impossible, while grave doubts may exist now completing in their build and outfit close. They are built of wood, carry no tion for the officers and crew on board these vessels is ample, and the ventilation

The Bullfinch, another twin screw gunvessel for China and sister ship to the Magnie, has been launched at Sheerness. The engines of the ship ["carry three guns," according to the queer misprint in our contemporary were made by Messra. want of system which prevails at their Rennie and Co., of London, and are of head-quarters. It has, in the words of the 160-horse power, nominal, driving two Daily. News, "gradually deprived the propellers of the Mangin pattern. She will Consular service of its higher rewards carry three guns—one 61-ton, and two

is also very good. As regards speed, too,

And of these vessels, 170 feet long and 665 tons in measurement, the Express jectionable commercial treatics and con- for fighting purposes in any other part of

WE copy the subjoined sketch—we hope a fancy one-of a Peking Student interpreter, from the North China Daily News. Apart from its obvious satire and exaggeration we cannot but conclude that there must be some foundation for the picture thus drawn-in which case we congratulate Sir Rutherford Alcock upon and we have little doubt that the exam- the select menagerie over which he presumably exercises control. 'We are not acquainted with the details of student interpreter life, either Consular or Custonis, as it now is, but may add that when student who was given to "rows" became speedily aware that an indulgence of that propensity was likely to lead to his official career being cut short in an un pleasant manner. The student who attempted to convert his boy must be party worth cultivating

THE STUDENT INTERPRETER. Fresh from a public school or one of the universities, the Student interpreter is great hand at classics and rows; thinks very little of the Chinese; as they can't be made to fight; tries hard to get up a "Town and disgusted because the Chinese won't box thinks them great cowards and very uncivilised; discovers, after a month's study the secret of the Chinese construction to be THE review of yesterday has again re- the same as the Greek; attempts to civilise minded us of a suggestion which we have the Chinese by beginning to translate into that language-Snowball's Trigonometry. Buckle's History of Civilisation, Byron's Don Juan, and the last account of a prize fight from Bell's Life; teaches his boy cricknot hit a fellow when he is down : wants piece of road, would, in the present state them to have it out fairly is angry when they laugh and refuse to fight i gallops on hotseback through the Peking city, singing "God save the Queen" at the top of his women, etc. be runs over, placed themselves before the feet of the horse on pur-

THE CHINA MAIL. a great deal too good for their husbands- the site of the Albion Hotel, is quite touched when they send him tracts Mr E. Parker appeared to crave for the ideas. goes in heavily for a course of religious grant of a new license for a house he innotions into his head-talks and thinks of now wanted his license issued for a new lopes into a third assistant.

#### LOCAL.

GREAT WORLD CIRCUS. The audience at last night's performance

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

charged with "soliciting to commit an unand asked him to play. Witness asked, said " No." (The remainder of the evidence

for trial at the Supreme Court. long time, who said that he frequently vi-

The Chinawoman who was previously stated as being in Hospital with a cut in the lip, received in the street row in which the Indian Sergeant was knocked down, appeared in a summons against the Indian Sergeant for assault. Mr Goodlake, however, said that the case had been fully gone into before, when the offenders had been punished. The woman had no business the riotous crowd; the defendant was a very quiet man, and would not have used his baton without occasion. Summons dis-

A Madrasce, with rat-like red eyes, was charged with assaulting a constable, and with behaving himself in an indecent manence, said that he was "a filthy beast," and sent him to Gaol for one month.

A Chinaman, who was very near getting clear of a charge of petty larceny, turned the tables against himself by telling a number of barefaced lies in his own defence The Magistrate said he believed him to be a rogue, and sent him for a month to

# MEETING OF JUSTICES.

The usual monthly meeting of the Just tices, to consider any applications for spirit liconses, was held this morning, at eleven o'clock-present, Mr May (presiding), Mr Mitchell, Dr Murray and Captain Deane. There were four applicants, viz., A. Rusteberg, F. Francis, E Parker, and J. de

As to the two first-named applicants Dr Murray remarked that they were giving unnecessary trouble in repeatedly making application; he would not have come, had he known that two of the four cases had been previously disposed of .- Mr May telerably absurd; but how much more shales, conglomerates, etc. No later formremarked that he supposed they had come absurd is it when he displays it before the ation than these coal measures was observunder the belief that the new alteration eyes of everybody without washing it? had been made regarding the new license. Well, still this is what has just happened. period. There are only two great systems -On Mr Rustoberg and Mr Francis being If the fact were only scandalous we should of elevations in China. The north-east generally approved of by our readers, and tries to convert him from Buddhism to called in, they were informed by the pre- abstain from mentioning it. It is, however, system determines the outline of Asia east We pointed out the improvement which Christianity; thinks the boy likes it, knows siding Justice that they had repeatedly very instructive, and, as such, belongs to of the 110th meridian, and coincides with would be effected by diverting the it does him good; discovers lots of mistakes made application, and that on each occasion the domain of the history of manners, Queen's Road at the Fountain towards in Mr Wade's works on Chinese; is con. they had been informed that no fresh li- Lord Willoughby de Eresby represents and the lower course of the Amoor. Its the Praya, turing the present road be. vinced that the Chinese do not understand censes could be granted them until the one of the most ancient families in Eng- upheaval occurred chiefly after the depositheir own language. When he sees two Ordinance was so amended that a license land. Having met in Paris in 1847 a tion of the coal formations. The east-west Chinese fighting and rolling over each could be obtained as an adjunct to their countess whose husband was wrong enough system exists in Western China in the Min other, separates them; tells them they must present business as boarding-house-keepers to go to sea, he managed so as to make her mountains and in the Nanling range, and or confectioners. No definite decision had his mistress. Such things happen a little determines the general course from west to as yet been given by the Legislative Coun- everywhere, and it is but just to admit that least of the three principal rivers of the cil, and of course the Justices could do no the violation of the seventh commandment south of China. It appears to have risen more than repeat their former observation: is not exclusively the affair of kings or later than the first system, since it has -Mr Rusteberg said that the amendment | noblemen. But what is worthy of notice | elevated the limestone and overlying rocks voice; is firmly convinced that the men, of the Ordinance might be indefinitely post- is, that the hero of this history had nothing which rest upon its sides. Evidences are poned -Mr Deane observed that, even to hide, and did not hide anything. If he presented of recent oscillations, extending under the old Ordinance, the proprietor of had not belonged to the well-born class it over great areas in the form of terraces. In pense, but if the additional accommoda- pose to get a dollar; believes, in every the Continental Hotel had been convicted would have been very different. He would, the great plain of north-eastern China is a tion afforded for reviews, cricket and other trouble he gets into with the Chinese, he of selling spirits without a license, and was we suppose, have had to impose on himself delta deposit extending over eight degrees sports be considered, it would hardly be only has two alternatives, either to be made thereby disqualified from holding any all the bother of discretion; he would have of latitude, which is yearly increasing, and grudged by the community. Many a fool of or to thrash the Chinamen. license for two years.—Mr Rusteberg re- been obliged to love in the shade. But through which the river Hoang Ho varies would, we believe, even subscribe out of Always prefers the latter alternative. Calls marked, in reply, that he was suffering for that is only good for little people! What its course every few centuries, emptying into all missionaries, merchants, and men in the the sins of his predecessor.—Mr May said would be the good, we ask, of a peerage the sea alternately to the north and to the Consular Service who have not been to that it was a matter of fact that he was which dates from 1313, if sins able to show south of a mountainous peninsula, through Peking, gorillas ; thinks they should not be convicted, and it mattered not now what twenty-four quarterings did not meet with channels separated by several degrees of

the glory of self-immolation and sacrifice hopse next door to Schmidt, the gun-maker, thinks about becoming a Catholic mission- because he had been cheated out of the a year; but on one condition—that of his ary, attends the mass at the Catholic Cathe- old Albion. It was within the prohibited getting rid of his French mistress. All dral-gets over his religious fit-takes to locality, however; but there was now one right, said his obedient son; and he had all collecting Chinese chrios and coins, which house less in that district. -Dr Murray said the less trouble in yielding to the wish of he sends home—sees a Chinese lady at the that if they had now one house less, why his father, as he was smitten with the feast of lanterns, whom he believes to be not keep it so 7-Mr Mitchell remarked femme de chambre of the Countess, if we are furiously in love with him-works hard that the Justices had always strictly adherfor a month or two at Chinese-and deve- ed to the rule prohibiting new licenses and page of the trial has not allowed to be inrefusing to renew old ones to houses east of the cross roads; and unless Mr Parker of the Circus (which was both numerous the part of Francis. No doubt Francis the good of advertisements. and fashionable), was furnished with an had taken advantage of his position, but entertainment the equal of which certainly Parker had his attorney to blame; and he only the Countess was not able to obtain a has never been given in this part of the did not now think that Parker had any suitable allowance, but she had furniture world; and the enterprising proprietor claim to a new license in this particular and plate which belonged to her, and which deserves all the encouragement which full locality. -Mr Mitchell said that no public- she was put under the necessity of claiming. tents and appreciative audiences can give house was wanted in that locality, as the Hence the trial to which we are indebted him in return for the varied and recherche Stag supplied all wants there. -- Dr Murray for these interesting revelations. bill of fare he has now presented to the concurred, and remarked that, besides, the public of this Colony. With Gonsalez, the Stag was of a much better class. -Mr Par- | cock-and-a-bull story. What! an English boy jockey, Fredricks' feats on the running ker, on being called in, spoke at length gentleman, a lord, and Grand Chamberlain globe, the almost incredible movements of in support of his application. He dwelt of England, preferred to confront such a the educated horse Othello, the elastic freaks | strongly upon the fact that the Justices (in- scandal rather than satisfy (and he so enorand final doubling up (in the small barrel) cluding Messrs Whyte and Smith) had pro- mously rich) such legitimate claims? of the French clowns, and the equestrian mised him personally that his license would in the several Government dockyards and display of the bold Zoyara, any one might never be refused, and that so long as he What! you do not see how proud it is not provided for in the Naval Estimates for reasonably sup full of wonders. But when conducted his house well, it would be re- to care but for the opinion of those who are the financial year now drawing near its to all these is added the daring and graceful gularly renewed. He had taken a passage your equals, and to look down on the outflights of Hubert Meers on the trapeze, overland relying upon that promise, and cry of common people? This is the way to with other minor items, the programme had spent money upon the house; and it act en grand seigneur. Lord Willoughby assumes a superiority, in its way, to any- was now very hard to be refused the license. knew so well what he owed to the pride of thing yet furnished to the Hongkong sight- He had held a license for a long time, as his rank that he had instructed his lawyer seer. Meers certainly performs his part to Mr May knew, and nothing had ever been to be inflexible, to listen to nothing, and perfection, in spite of the difficulties which | brought against him. - Mr May said that | even go so far as to say that this married the oppressive heat like that of last night the house might be as well conducted as woman, whom he had seduced, and who, must present; and his pretty flights formed any house possibly could be; but the Jus- for seventeen years, had borne his name, the successful close of a very successful tices were acting for the public, and were was not able to personally enter an action performance. We have seen Leotard (some not dealing with personal matters at all. against him, seeing that she was still maryears since certainly), and we recognize in It was a misfortune to him; but now the ried, and that there had been some defect Hubert Meers a very close rival, if not an Justices were considering and applying the of form in the divorce granted from her equal, of that celebrated gymnast. The principle of not granting new licenses. - husband. We like this disdain for vulgar last night of the season is announced for Mr Parker said that it would be better to ideas. Bon sang ne peut mentir. let Francis get the license than that no one should have it, else it might be said that he was nursuing a "dog-in-the-manager (Before Mr Goodlake.)-Pow Akow was policy,-Mr May replied that such a proposal was very considerate on the part of natural offence."-Henry Cock, watchman | the applicant; but they were not prepared at the Mee Kee Gambling House, West to consider such matters. Francis might Point, stated that, at about 7.30 last night, get a license under the new Ordinance. he was sitting at the door in a rattan chair, -The applicant repeatedly recurred to when prisoner, after passing him twice, the great hardship of the case, in view said, "Are you here," came to his chair, of the fact that he had relied upon the promise of the Justices that his license "What kind of play-gambling " and he would never be refused, - Mr May reis unfit for publication.)-Charles Blain, he regretted that the applicant had been watchman at the said gambling-house, cor- by a bungling misfortune deprived of his roborated the statement of the previous license, and that he should thus suffer witness; and the prisoner was committed for the careleseness of the man whom The Chinaman who was found the other Justices notwithstanding did not conday in the Government Stables was brought | sider that he ought to get a new license. up on remand and discharged, he having | -The applicant asked why he should be produced his mucle, who has been office the scape-goat of the new rule or principle. coolie at the Government Offices for a very -Mr Mitchell remarked that he did not remember of any distinct promise to continue the license, and besides the Justices could stop a license at any time. There was the same risk in licenses (or more) as in other trades. Already the Justices had shown some consideration to the applicant

> such could be said of him. It was a very hard case. Joachim de Pinto appeared to ask for the transfer of the license now held by S. de Souza in the "Old House at Home." Applicant has been seventeen years in Hongkong, and was formerly coal godown-keeper ner. The Magistrate, after hearing evid- to Messrs Russell & Co., from whom he showed a certificate of good character. It was discovered, however, that this De Souza had got a license for the house so recently as December last; and as he had now sold the good-will of the place, with very little stock (60 bottles) in it, for \$825 it was reasonably inferred by the Justices that the said Souza ought to be there to support the transfer and explain his reasons for so doing. It was further discovered that the applicant had paid the money, but that Mr Jullien, seamen's boarding-house keeper, had the receipt, and was most probably the real owner of the house. The application was therefore adjourned for a week, when both Mr Jullien and De Souza were ordered to be present, in order that the transfer might be satisfactorily explained.

by granting him a license for the Oriental

Hotel; this had been thrown over for some

private reason, and it was not desirable to

encourage a trade in the transfer of licenses.

-Mr Parker said that he did not think

A FRENCH VIEW OF THE WILL OUGHBY DE ERESBY SCANDAL. (Le Temps-Paris, Feb. 11.)

That a Grand Chamberlain of England should wash his dirty linen in public is great coal-bearing formation of sandstones.

So long as the road continues in its allowed to go to Peking, as they ill-treat the the circumstances were. The Justices, at more indulgence than the failings of com- latitude. A great table land lies between present position we cannot but express natives; knows he would not allow them all events, had a duty to perform to the mon people, which, everybody knows, China and Siberia, which consists of basing

our surprise at the want of forethought to go to Peking if he were minister-won- public; but for the present at least the deserve none? The Ronourable A. Drumwhich ordered a review comprising firing ders when he will be minister—thinks he applicants would have to wait until the mond-Willoughby—he was as yet only an would make a far better representative of fresh legislation was notified in the Gazette honourable—therefore lived publicly with the Queen than the present locum tenens— or in the papers.—Mr Mitchell said that the woman of his choice at Twickenham. considers all those senior to him to be idiots they need not come again before them until He allowed her to take his name; he -occasionally has wine parties, after which the change was effected. - Dr Murray said introduced her amongst his relations and he fancies himself a laughing hyæna, and that they would now understand that friends, and the daughter she gave him there was danger of their horses being acts accordingly-or else treats his chiefs to they were not to come again until the was in the eyes of everybody one of the a serenade consisting of a magnificent con- Ordinance was altered. -Mr Rusteberg re- family, which was right, but which was people should find this out, because in ception of his own as to the music of pande- plied that he could not wait any longer, thought a hundred times more right as permonium—can't understand the reason why and would have to retire from the contest; sons of quality were concerned. One canhis Chief, who may be ill, objects to this. he had to pay his rent every month, and not imagine how far prudery loses its antakes place. The want of this precaution Thinks that his Chief can have no idea of did little or no business.—Mr Francis said gular character in intercourse with rank yesterday nearly resulted in accident or humor—makes ardent but platonic love to nothing in support of his application for and fortune. "There is virtue and virtue," the wives of the missionaries—thinks them the license for the Cafe opened lately on and in the great world people do not measure each other with the measure of plebeian

Everything, therefore, went on charmreading, in order to make himself worthy tended to open next door to the old Albion ingly, when the father of the Hon. A. of one of the missionaries' widows, in case Hotel. Previous to his being called in, Drummond Willoughby died, leaving his the missionary should die-takes asthetic however, Mr May remarked that Parker son, besides the title of lord and the office of Grand Hereditary Chamberlain, the full possession of an immense fortune-£60,000 to credit statements which the abrupt stopvestigated. What is certain is that the lady was turned away, and we cannot say sans had any special claim for consideration, he | tambour ni trompette, seeing that her posidid not see why he should be made an tion was made the subject of an advertiseexception. -Mr May observed that Parker | ment in the papers. A turned-off mistress had lost his license and his house more by or a dog lost! That is what advertisements his own neglect than by any roguery on are made for, apparently. If not, what is

But here the interest redoubles. Not

Allons done, you will say, all this is a

A CHALLENGE. - A Berlin journal relates that the famous Bismarck once challenged Dr. Virchow for offensive language used in parliamentary debate. The learned doctor was at that time engaged in investigations relating to trichinosis. He is said to have thus replied to the messenger who bors Bismarck's challenge :- "My arms : there they are—those two sausages. One of them is full of triching, the other is pure. Let his excellency breakfast with me. We will eat the sausages, and he shall take his choice of them.

THE secret of Dante's struggle through life was in the reckless sarcasm of his answer to the Prince of Verona, who asked him how he could account for the fact that in the household of princes the court fool was in greater favour than the philosopher,-"Similarity of minds," said the flerce mius, "is all over the world a test of

CREBILLON. -The elder Crebillon was once, with his son, in a company, when some one asked him, which of all his works he himself thought the best? "I really don't know which is the best :" said he "but," pointing to his son, "this is the

EXTRACTS.

(From Notes & Queries on China and Japan for March.)

GEOGRAPHICAL CHARACTER OF CHINA. The following has been received from a friend and subscriber :- "The accompanying review of the report of the Smithsoniar Institute bears so exclusively upon the subjects to which Notes and Queries are devoted that I forward it for insertion." Shanghai

"The last published report of the Smithsonian Institute contains a reference to the geological character of China, which derives peculiar interest from the light it throws upon the mineral resources of that country. with which we are henceforth to hold such intimate commercial relations. Raphae Pumpolly, of New York, made an extensive tour through China in 1863-64-65, and since his return has prepared notes of his journey. giving an account of his geological observatious in particular, which has been recommended to the Smithsonian Institute for publication. According to the facts gather ed by him, and synopsized in the report before us, there is reason to believe that there exists throughout Chius an immens development of Devonian limestone, which rises to the surface in all the larger ridges. and attains in some places a thickness of over 10,000 feet. It rests on either granitic rock or metamorphic schist, unconformably stratified as regards the limestone. Overlying it, in conformable stratifications, is a ed, and they are reserved to the Triassic

of industrial and intellectual progress.

a reply to this question it is necessary to pursuance of orders received from Earl penetrable by any of our existing guns, and consult the Penal Code (Ta Is'ing Li Li), where, in Book 26, under 刑 律 or Crioccupying the first place. The first generic term for mirder as a delibeis further defined as "either deliberating individually in the mind or in concert with others." Voluminous commentaries which it is impossible to quote in this place still farther elucidate the nature of the deliterm given above corresponds to Sir Edward Coke's description of murder as "the unthe accessories.

special case.

(where no malice is proved) is provided; but the sense of the expression is restricted within such narrow limits that the term can- ple. not be looked upon, it would seem, as a gen-The kind of manslaughter arising through letter to her Majesty, and he would now down to the 10-inch inclusive, under fa- producing angina pectoris. He remarked the improper use of deadly weapons, as in read it. The letter was as follows: "In vourable conditions of striking. This is, that the cigar chiefly has this dreadful rea game or fencing-match, is entitled Hi Sha, the name of the Father, of the Son, and of perhaps, scarcely a legitimate conclusion to suit upon impressionable persons, who lead 唐 報; and accidental homicide, assof bystander during a fight, is denominated Wu Shu 記集 沒, and punished, like the foregoing, with the same penalty (death by strangling) that attaches to "manslaughter in the course of a broil." Accidental homicide of any in lieu of one whom it was premeditated to kill is treated as wilful murder. Death by strangling is also prescribed for cases of manslaughter through false inferry. Purely accidental manslaughter is and my late Carel Character. I am impenetrable nor invulnerable, as some of Now, M. Fould, who was a smoker, and termed Kivo shih sha shang 過失複傷, lishman Bell-used to tell me that there is Over a small portion of her structure she and is punishable by mulet. Manslaughter a great Christian Queen who loves all Chris- may perhaps be regarded as practically im- the morning, to which he paid little attenless driving, &c., is described specifically able to make friendship between you,' then under each head, such as Ch'é ma sha shang was I glad. All men are subject to death. the term Ke sha K, of which the of God, I have exterminated those enemies, signification is so elastic as to permit its being used for many forms of manslaughter and thus has caused it to be taken as a near equivalent for the English phrase. ordinary parlance, it is frequently used to signify any fatal blow dealt without premeditation, such as the slaying of a policeman by a prisoner in the attempt to escape

or vice versa. The foregoing references might without difficulty be multiplied, but enough has already been quoted for the purpose of shewing that the Chinese process of analysis rather than of generalization affords an embarras de richesses of terms for the lesser of the two divisions of homicide. If a broad generalization be absolutely sought for, it may perhaps be suggested that the form the nearest approach to the English

HOW THE ABYSSINIAN EXPEDI-

TION WAS OCCASIONED. Abyssinia for the liberation of the British inches; at bottom, 47,25 inches." Capt. Cameron's -

treaty, and that if he objected to any of other guns it was at 200 yards. The pro- virtue, which is as high as the vault of the articles he could propose modifications, jectiles used throughout the experiment heaven. Your benign love is liberally dif-In February 1832, Captain Cameron, the were steel shot, except two Palliner shot, fused, and extends to all things. The blood of his grandmother. - Rhine Garette.

and the country contains deposits of other provinces of Turkey! The effect of this half of the target. valuable minerals, including the useful sapient decision was that the unfortunate | Of the four rounds fired against the 9 into and known by you; then all will be metals. Mr. Pumpelly justly remarks Abyssinians at Jerusalem and on their way inch plate, not one penetrated even the exhibarated with delight. When you return They are the elements of the civilization | tinadoed, -others sold as slaves, and many struck with a force capable of effecting the | place, we hope you will sit down in joy with of the present age, and in the natural course | killed by our Moslem allies. On Theo- penetration of a plate of this thickness; universal peace prevailing. Oh! how esof events the country possessing them can- dore's receipt of this news he is said to this was a round from the 101-inch gun. cellent and admirable, how worthy of praise not long avoid being drawn into the stream have broken out into one of his fits of But this round struck both on a rib and is he to whom, with veneration, awe, and ungovernable rage, and to have commenced full on one of the rigid backings. to abuse the English and their Queen. The Hercules may therefore claim never sixth year, eleventh month of the reign of Meanwhile Captain Cameron (instead of to have been fairly penetrated. But this is Emperor Hong Che, of the dynasty of Tsin SLAUGHTER. (Vol. II., No. 2, p. 25.)—For going to England with the letter) acting in a totally different thing from whether she is -English calculation of time, 1867 years, Russell, took a tour through the Egyptian | the strength of the vessel from this point of | Flowery Nation (Chinese), this address was territory to the west of Abyssinia-a pro- view has, we believe, been over estimated. ceeding scarcely calculated to inspire the It is true that the most poweful modern riminal Statutes we find Appropriate Abysamians with any great belief in the fled guns were represented in this experibona fides of his conduct, or the amity of ment; but on the other hand, out of the his Government. 'Against' his (Captain | ten rounds which were fired only two were sentence in this section supplies the Speedy's) advice as Vice Cousul, Consul with chilled from projectiles; and chilled Cameron went and visited Kasala and iron projectiles, as we now know, are very rate crime, viz :- Mow Sha at which Boyos, Egyptian towns at some distance superior to steel for penetrative purposes, beyond the frontier of Abyssinia. At and add enormously to the penetrative length, sighing for the fleshpots of Habesch power of a gun. Of these two projectiles (which he acknowledged to be what it is, a one, as we have seen, actually effected its very beautiful country), Cameron re-enter- entry into the interior of the ship; the ed Abyssinia, and finally made his re- other, although a defective casting, did beration or concert presumed by the statute; appearance before the King. Theodore more than any of the steel shot which were and it is made abundantly clear that the asked Consul Cameron why he had been to fired, and fell little short of complete pene-Boyos and Kasala. The Consul answered, tration. The shot was probably animated "I had the Queen's orders." "And why with more than sufficient "energy" to pelawful killing with malice aforethought," do you come here now?" Same answer as | netrate; but owing to being oracked it As, however, in English law a distinction before-"The Queen's orders." "And broke up. It is worthy of notice also that is drawn between malice expressed and why do you come to me now? Your per- these chilled projectales were shot and not malice implied, so a similar classification is mission, given to you by me long ago, was shell, and where the probabilities of penealso found in the Chinese statute-book, to go to Massowa. Why have you done tration are nicely balanced it has been where murder committed in a personal en- this?" Consul Cameron said again, "It was proved that Palliser shell are superior to counter without direct evidence as to ante- the Queen's orders." "So," exclaimed the the Palliser shot. Further, the experiment codent intention is denominated Ku Sha infuriated monarch, "your Queen can send was at 700 yards range. On the other 故文, and, although entailing the penal- you orders to go to visit my enemies and to hand, 100 lb. of power was used instead of return from Massowa, but she cannot send 70 lb., which is the service "battering" ty of death on the actual criminal, carries me a civil answer! By my death! you shall charge of the gun; but as the gun is capaless severe consequences with it as regards not quit my territory till her answer ble of sustaining a 100 lb; charge it might comes." Now Theodore's letter to the perhaps be employed for a few rounds on an For wilful murder, therefore, we may Queen was written in October, 1862, and is emergency. scept Mow Sha and Ku Sha as the equiva- said nover to have reached its destination, The broad results which we should be lents, according to the circumstances of the as Dr. Beke, in his book on Abyssinia, gave inclined to derive from this very incoma translation of this letter, and (at page plete experiment are these :- That certain As regards Manslaughter, inasmuch as 154) asserted that Earl Russell said, portions of the Hercules, those portions the offence is liable to be committed in va- " Having no wish to answer that letter, which are faced with 9-inch armour plates, rious ways, Chinese jurists have sought to we sent it to the India Office, to know and which constitute, so to speak, the define by a separate term each variety of whether they wished to answer it." citadel or strong box of the vessel, are Public tries to make out that the last cigar the act, whilst, on the other hand, it does Not a bit of it! They did not think pretty nearly impentrable by any of our smoked by M. Fould was the cause of his cess in their efforts to fill an important and not appear that any very close Chinese ap- it necessary that a mission should be service guns. Striking full and fair, and death :- "Nicotine, the redoubtable poison- hitherto unoccupied place in Eastern literproximation to the English generic term can sent to Abyssinia, the object of which was with 100 lb. of powder at ranges not ex- ous principle of tobacco, acts as a heart, ature. be held to exist. The definition of man- to get us to go to war with Turkey. The ceeding 500 or 600 yards, the 13-inch gun poison. In experimenting on animals, our slaughter, indeed, as the "unlawful killing lecturor further said that the King told would possibly be able to drive a Palliser eminent physiologist, Claude Bernard, obof another, upon a sudden heat of passion, Camoron that he should "die in Abyssinia." shell clean through the side of the vessel. served that it paralysed the central organ without previous malice expressed or im- The lecturer concluded by pointing out the But fired with its service charge, and of the circulation, thence sudden death. A plied," appears to be in correspondence manner in which Mr Stern had given special striking, as in nine cases out of ten the dose insufficient to kill nevertheless prowith the Chinese expression Towngow Sha umbrage to the King by his visit to the shot would strike in actual warfare, at an duces symptoms analogous to those of jen 国 版 人, signifying "to slay Falasba, and bis neglect to go out of the angle, even this gun could hardly be ex- angina pectoris. One of the most distinin the course of a broil," for which the country whom he had been ordered to leave, pected to penetrate. However, only a guished physicians of our time, M. M. secondary penalty of death by strangling and he detailed other circumstances which comparatively small portion of the Hercules Beau, who died two years since, road a mehad greatly exasperated the King on the is of this thickness. The remainder is moir at the Academy of Science, in 1862,

chosen by God king of kings of Ethiopia. good health. By the power of God I am | the 9-inch gun at 200 yards range, and well. My father, the Emperor, having that the resistance offered by wood backing kingdom to the Gallas and Turks. But slight God created me, lifted me out of the dust. and restored this empire to my rule. By and my enemies, thinking to injure me, not leaving one alive, though of my own family, that I may get, through the power of God, your friendship. I fear that if I send ambassadors with presents of amity by the Turks, and now wish that you may ardors everywhere on the road. I wish to have an answer to this letter by Consul Cameron, and that he may conduct my embassy to England. See how the Islam oppresseth the Christian."

THE STRENGTH OF THE

"HEROULES! (Pall Mall Gazette, February 13.) at Shoeburyness against a section of this tain that posture, and in great swelling official report, "was faced with a wrought- are becoming eminent for virtue and talent. Captain Speedy, formenly of her Majesty's half with a similar plate, 8 inches thick, treasures. We acknowledge with thankful-81st Regiment, and for some time in the Behind both plates was a compact backing, ness the gracious love of the reigning dyservice of the Emperor Theodorus, lately consisting of 12 inch teak timber, laid nasty of England, which permits our merdelivered at the Sydney School of Arts, horizontally and divided by four horizontal chants and all others to follow their occu- berg in the County Mark (Prussia):- "Martwo lectures on Abyssinia, illustrative of iron plates placed edgeways. The backing pations here. We have a feeling of the manners and customs of the people of rested against a skin of two finch plates. profound veneration and respect, which that country, and descriptive of the singu- The whole was secured to the iron ribs, leads us to obey and induce obedience to lar physical peculiarities of that compara- which were 10 inches deep, with vertical the Royal laws. With serious attention tively unknown and extraordinary region. toak timber, worked in between them. Be we have endeavoured to act in accordance The attraction on the occasion was the hind the ribs were two linings of horizontal with them. When her Majesty, your sacred greater in consequence of its being generally teak timber, 18 inches deep, confined by mother, commenced her reign, like the time known that Captain Speedy was a gentle- 7-inch iron ribs inside all, and an inside when the three holy sages, Wong I, Yaon, man who had recently received a telegram iron skin. The armour plates were secured and Shun hung the upper and inferior garfrom Sir Robert Napier (forwarded to him by 3-inch bolts. The total thickness of ments on their persons, so the whole denoh, near Ruggeberg, and there it was by the Governor of Ceylon), requesting the target, wood and iron, exclusive of the empire, was forthwith subjected to order him to join the military expedition into 7-inch inside ribs, was: At top, 51.25 and decorum. Royal Prince, you have

of undisturbed strata of sandstone, contain- British Consul, arrived at Massowa, and which were fired from the 13-inch gun blessings and happiness you confer are as ing beds of gypsum, and which terminates had an interview with the Emperor in June | against the 8-inch plate. In one instance | the ocean. They mollify and enrich us generally at the south in a precipitous wall in that year. He was received most gra- only was the target shot through, viz., by who are of another country, although the of lave, in some places more than 1,500 feet | clously, and a quantity of presents was | the 13-inch gun firing a Palliser shot with a | subject of this. The people leve you as thick. The abrupt termination of the made to him by the Abyssinian monarch, charge of 100 lb. of powder. But in this the Kaum Heng tree which shaded Chao plateau is owing to a great dislocation, who also gave him a letter (already alluded | case the shot struck in the neighbourhood | Hong, the brother of the Emperor Moon, which marks approximately the coast-line to) to forward without delay, to her Ma- of a previous shot-hole. Opinions differ as when he stayed his horse to rest during his of a former ocean to the North, in which jesty Queen Victoria. Consul Cameron to whether the proximity of the first hole tour of inspection of the empire. Following the most recent deposits of the plain ori- took the letter and his dismissal and reach- really caused any weakness at that part of in your track sweet rains fall, making no ginated, and along whose southern shore and the sea (at Massowa), about February the target which was penetrated; but it is noise. All kindreds and people are there existed an extensive region of volcanic 1863. About that period news arrived certain that it could hardly be called a fair improved by your example and thus activity. This reminds one to some extent | rrom Jerusalem (whether the Abyssinians | hit, although it was such a hit as might be | military operations cease, and literary of Agassiz's description of the ancient Ap- fesort in great numbers to pray at the likely to occur in actual warfare. The other pursuits are cultivated. We desire enrupalachian sea in the northern portion of Church of the Holy Sepulchie) that Sooreya Palliser shot was cracked and defective; but estly that your royal house shall, through the United States, and of the similar Pasha, under orders from the Subline it nevertheless succeeded in penetrating the all age, remain unmoved, and reign contiphenomenon in South America. The coal Porte, refused to recognise the Abyssinians basins of China are believed to be equally except as Turkish subjects,—alleging, for- of 22 inches. These were the most serious as England is at present. Prolong your extensive with those of the United States, sooth, that Abyssinia was only one of the effects obtained against the 8-inch or lower stay with us until the customs of the people

of the Herculck which are eased in 6 inch or, at least, who fails to recommend the his power I drove away the Gallas; as for armour are penetrable by all our rifled guns the Turks, I have told them to leave the down to the 8-inch inclusive. In short, it patients as are liable to even the slightest land of my ancestors. They refuse. I am | would appear that the Hercules is neither and my late Grand Chamberlain-the Eng- our contemporaies would have it appear. through improper medical treatment, care- tians. When he said to me this, 'We are penetrable by our largest ordnance; but tion, and then, in the evening, a violent over the rest of her structure she is vulnerable even by such guns as she horself carries. Nevertheless, she is certainly the was not the last straw which broke, &c. ? killed these my friends. But, by the power strongest vessel affoat, and well deserves

> A CHINESE ADDRESS TO AN ENGLISH PRINCE

The Duke of Edinburgh, during his visit Cousul Cameron they may be arrested by to Castlemaine, (Victoria), received the following address from the Chinese population range for the safe passage of my ambassa- of the district. It is translated by an Englishman who learnt his Chinese from the natives of the Flowery Land whom he met with in Castlemaine. In that point of view it may be interesting to "student interpreters" in China - We of the hundred sing (people) of the great clear nation (China), from the province of Canton and the neighbouring districts, have auxiously waited, Royal Sir, your arrival at Castlemaine to come forth and welcome you. As some rather loose notions are affoat great England's lesser lord, 1,000 years with regard to the actual resisting power of second in the temple below. We bow our the Hercules, it may be useful to recall the heads to the ground and let our heads hang results of the experiments which were made down as a token of reverence. We mainvessel. The target was undoubtedly the words give utterance. At this propitious strongest ever fired upon at Shoeburyness, time the subtile influences are efficacious in "The upper half," we quote from the the ground, increasing its fertility, and mon iron plate 9 inches thick, and the lower The earth yields more largely her golden gone out to examine the distant part of the subjects now detained there. The follow- Upon this target four of our most pow- empire, and all the people skip for joy in ing is Capt. Speedy's account of the cir- erful rifled guns were brought to bear wiz. | welcoming you. To look upon the dragon cumstances which led to the detention of a 9-inch, a 10-inch, and a 105-inch gun, all (Royal) countenance may be compared to of twelve tons weight, and a 13-inch gun of | beholding the dark olouds and the sun im-A treaty had been signed between the twenty-three tons. Only the 9-inch and mediately bursting forth. We have followreigning sovereign of Abyssiuta and the 101 inch guns were trained against the 9- ed you to the tiger-skin covered seat (the British Government in 1857. The British inch plate; the firing with the other guns levee) with beat of drum, vibrating stringed Government told Consul Plowden that was at the 8-inch plate. The practice with instruments, and blowing the cheerful reed; Theodore was bound to recognise that the 13-inch gun was at 700 yards; with the mingling with every voice, singing your

in every nook of our shores are inquired humility we present our address. In the humbly presented." ----

His jetty eye expresses thanks For every small attention ; For water clean, for well-blown seed And green-meat for a luncheon. He must not in a small cage cooped. Like goldy or poor linust; A roomy one at least for him, To feel he's free when in it. My little yellow-coated friend Will sing in any weather-When Sol with glory lights our isle, Or folks round ingles gather. And though he cost but dollars one Which some may think a-plenty I've learned to love him; so I would Not part with him for twenty; For in the morning, ere I raise My head from off its pillow, He starts and sings till twilight hour A carol sweet and mellow. And like a true beloved friend,

His heart ne'er seems to vary-

Oh, many a one some lesson sweet

Might learn of my canary.

THE CANARY.

A golden-feathered fairy ;

His owner must feel cheery,

A CHARMING little household bird-

Where'er his pleasant voice is heard,

M. FOULD'S LAST CIGAR. -The Salut unlicensed roturn of Mr Stern and his peo- plated with 8-inch and 6-inch armour, in which he showed by a very considerable backed with various thicknesses of wood number of observations made during his He had been fortunate enough to pro- and ribs. The 8-inch portions of the vessel practice, the influence of tobacco smoking, cure a copy of the Abyssinian Emperor's would probably be penetrable by all guns and especially, in the form of cigars, in the Holy Ghost, one God in Trinity. The draw from the experiments which we have sedentary lives, and whose minds are conquoted; but it may be inferred from the tinually on the stretch. Two years later Theodore, to her Majesty Queen of Eng- fact that the 8-inch target on the Warrior another physician, Dr. E. Decaisne, adducland, Victoria, -I hope your Majesty is in | backing has invariably been penetrated by | ed a series of upwards of a hundred cases respecting the peruicious action on the functions of the heart caused by smoking forgotten our Creator, he handed over their to a Palliser projectile is comparatively tobacco. This is now an accepted point in medical science, and there is scarcely any Finally, we should say that those portions practitioner who does not prohibit smoking. greatest moderation in it, to such of his perturbation of the functions of the heart. ly had a slight attack of anging peotoris inand mortal attack. In the interval a cigar was smoked; who can say that this eigar

WHEN I was a Student of Arta at Trinity, Dublin (says Cornelius O'Dowd), in days of more lightheartedness than I am like to know again, I chanced to have for my "chum" a man of considerable ability, and who, but for a disposition to include in drink, would have swent college of all its prizes. After repeated acts of insubordination, originating in this unhappy faults calls to the board," fines, &c., he only escaped formal rustication by a pledge solemnly given to his tutor, accompanied by a convention, that he was to have the daily privilege of one tumbler of punch, never to be exceeded, except if wet through and thoroughly soaked, when a second might be taken. Now my poor friend, not having that confidence in the climate of his native country that he might have fairly | resting matter. possessed, conceived the idea of siding Nature, and might be spied towards six of an afternoon standing on steps of his chamber, while his servant, with a watering-pot, performed the part of Pluvius, from a window overhead, after which he would return to the company, and beg them to note the condition he was in, and be able to bear testimony, if called upon, that he was in the predicament specified in the act,

and eligible for another tumbler. THE following paragraph we take from the church-books of the community of Ruegge- the ancient traditions of China, with reried, on 16th day of Aug., 1736, Dr Joseph Baptiste Maria Garibaldi to Catherina Amalie you Neuhof." From the history here cited we learn that when, in the year 1736, Theodor von Neuhof was crowned King of Corsica, under the name of Theodor the First, he sent his intimate friend, the celebrated Dr J. B. M. Garibaldi, to his mother, who lived at her residence, Pedwhere the grandfather of the present General Garibaldi made the acquaintance of the sister of his monarch, married her with his sanction, and took her in the same year to Ajacoio to reside. When in the year 1741 the Genoese re-captured Corsica. and Theodor I. was obliged to go as a fugitive to England, Dr Garibaldi and his family shifted their residence to Nizza, where he practised as a medical man, and died a very aged man. The Germans have, therefore, the right to claim the present hero-Garibaldi-as their own, as the blood which rolls in his veins is the old Mark

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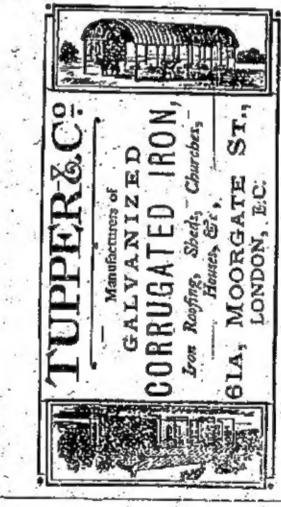
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C. on Pedder's Walrf.—WC., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—EC., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloong side.

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BTEAMERS.						1867-6	8.			
Azof	w	Johnson	Brit.	str.	476	March	25	P. & O. S. N. Co	Salar and	
Cataluna	W	Escajadilla	Span.	str.	361	March	30	Order		
Erl King	- , w	Pinel	Brit.	atr.	1044	March	29	Aug. Heard & Co	Shanghai	n 1 2 3 3
Fung Shuey	WC	Watson	Amer.	str.	740	Feb.	4	A. Heard & Co		
Imperatrice	wc	Macaire	Fch.	str	2800	April	1	Messageries Imperiales	13. 37. 20	
Kan Ka Kee	WC	Yeaton	Amer	str.	313	March	24	A. Heard & Co		
Malta	W		Brit.	str.	960	March	21	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Scotia	E	Hamlin	Brit.	str.	1260	March	23	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Singapore, &c.	4th, 2 p.m.
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BAILING VESSEL	s.		1		un e	15	4		100	
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Belvidere	W	Hower	Amer.	sh.	1321	March	20	Captain		
Carobel Cary & Jane Catharina Contest	W	McKenzie Jansen Hess Reynand	Amer, Hamb. Hamb. Siam.	bk.	412 500	March .	7 27	Russell & Co Bourjau, Hubener & Co Wm. Pustau & Co Chinese	Callao	Early
Cowper		Sparrow	Amer.	sh.	1079	March	16	Captain	San Francisco	Early
Dagmar Dayspring		Bhunstrom Middleton	Russ. Brit.	sh. bk.		Feb. March	2.1	Order A. Hogg	Saigon Saigon	
Eliza Everest		Sedgley Clarke	Brit. Brit.	sh.		March March	4	Olyphant & Co Gilman & Co	Sau Francisco	Early
Falcon	W	Guan	Brit.	sh.	791	March	31	Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Glenloo Golden Fleece		Burkitt Gall	Russ. Brit.					Landstein & Co Chinese	S'pore & B'bay	Early
Henrietta	E	Allen	Brit.	bk.	181	March	30	J. S. Hook, Son & Co		3
Jaya Jeanne Alice John L. Dimmock John Norman	W	Anderson Moutier Wenchell Gardiner	Prus. Freh. Brit. Brit.	bk. sh. str. sh.	1209 1047	March March	$\frac{11}{26}$	Arnhold Karberg & Co Order Captain A. Heard & Co	Portland	
Maria Louisa	W	Arrestis	Span.	bk.	360	March	11	A. Heard & Co	Manila	
Maria Morton Marie Therese Mirage	W	Marello Bonneson Ruan	Feh. Fch. Brit.	bk. bk. sh.		Dec.	12	Reynvann Brothers & Co Carlowitz & Co Q. Acheong	Surinam	Early
Navarino Neptuno Nevielle	W	Wettrog Reuteria Jackson	Brit. Span. Brit.	bk. bg.	408 284 715	March March Feb.	31	Smith, Archer & Co Order Furner & Co		
Resolute	W	Euziere	Siam.	sĥ.	856	January	1	Chinese		
Salacia Santa Anna Seaman's Bride Spitfire Sultan Sword Fish	WO	Steward Gavito Roth Mills Howard Muller	Brit. Span. Siam. Brit. Brit. Siam.	bk. bk. bk. sh. sh.	402 314 440	March March March Feb.	26 17 22 8	Gilman & Co Remedios & Co Chinese John Burd & Co Order Chinese	Manila	
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Vesta		Tetens	Hamb.		240	March	11	Siemsaen & Co	Pelew Islands	
Wilhelm Willy	W	Ulrich Rohkar	Brem. Brem.	bk.	266	March	20	Melchers & Co Chinese		
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## WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
· Attention	Drescher	Brit. sh. Prus. sch. Dan. bk.	260 321	October 3 Sept. 28	P. & O. S. N. Co Bourjau, Hubener & Co Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Coila* Condor Johanna Mathilde	Shewan Grange Schmidt Lahse Jacobsen	Brit. sh. Brit. str. Prus. bg. Hamb. bk. Prus. bg.	535 244 414	April 1 March 31 March 27 March 16	Olyphant & Co	Ningpo	Immediate Immediate Early
Morchantman Orissa	Mourelyan Hall Cummins	Brit. str. Brit. str. Brit. bg.	1696	March 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co P. & O. S. N. Co Bosman & Co	Bombay, &c.	8th, 7 a, m.

# SHANGHAI.

Merchant Sailing Vessels, from or for European, Australian and American Ports, in Harbour on March 18.

Ship's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Kig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival	Where from,	Destination.	Consignees or Agents.
Adelina Alicia Annie	Dennett Kirbey	Brit. sh. Brit. bk.	-	March 17 January 9	Cavdiff Rio de Janeiro	44444444	Order Russell & Co
Andreas Andrew Jackson	Krabb MacCallum	Dut, sh. Amer, sh.	832 1253	Feb. 13 Feb. 27	Cardiff Newport	sa inminist Sie	Wm. Pustau & Co Order
Aurora Australis F. Reck	Todd Denker	Brit, bk. Brem, bk.	549	Feb. 16	London Cardiff	********	W. R. Adamson & Co E. Schellhass & Co
Gen. Havelock Hope	Cawse Henderson	Brit. bk. Brit. bk. Brit. bk.	453	March 16	Cardiff Shields Cardiff	*********	Gibb, Livingston & Co Order Bourjaul Hubener & Co
Isabella Ridley Layard Leander	Watson Watson Petherick	Brit. bg. Brit. sh.	. 175	March 16	Newcastle, N.S. w. London	1010-0611 1410-1111	Frazar & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co
Magellau M. W. Sass	Crosbie Arentzen	Brit. sh. Dan. bk.	304	Feb. 24 March 14	Liverpool Syduey		Shaw, Brothers & Co Frazar & Co
Neptune Pallas	Schfield Wulff	Brit, sh. Hambbk. Brit, sh.	470	March -8	Newcastle, N. s. w. Hamburg Newport	anning.	Russell & Co Telge, Nolting & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co
Princess of Wales Tavistock Tientsin	Sheppord Tate Jarman	Brit, sh. Brit, bk.	532	January 2		New York	Gibb, Livingston & Co Russell & Co
White Adder	Moore	Brit, sh.	40.544	March 1	London	111111111	W. R. Adamson & Co

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VESSE	LS	LOAD	ING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees,	Intended Despatch
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CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—	dy.	014.1	7 711 0 0	
	Thetis	Old. bg.	Landstein & Co	
· COTT · NYALE · M	J. Mathilde*		Siemssen & Co	
SHANGHAI	Erl King	Dr. str.	Aug. Heard & Co	
OTHER PORTS-		74		
BOMBAY, &cEng. Mails	Origan*	Br. str.	P. & O. S. N. Co	
CALLAO	Cary & Jano		Bourjau Hubener & Co	
LONDON	Cha-szo*	Br. sh.	Deacon & Co	T231-1
MANILA		Sp. bk.	Aug. Heard & Co	I'diate
	A. Lawrence	Am. sh.	Order	
			Remedios & Co	
	Mathilde*	Pr. hg.	Olyphant & Co	74
	Vesta	Hm ha	Siemssen & Co	
		Fr. sh.	Order	
	Dagmar	Ru. sh.		19-15-
	Dayspring		A. Hogg	1
	Cowper	Am sh	Captain	
	Eliza	Br sh	Olyphant & Co	
	Scotia	Br. str	Jardine, M. & Co	444
SINGAPORE & BOMBAY		Rn. sh	Landstein & Co	4th
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Name:	Flag.	Rig.	Gun	H.P	Captain.
Ashuelot	U. States	aloop	10		Hatfield, Commander
Aspie	H.I.M.	gun-boat	_		Andria de Nerciat, Com.
Bouncer	British	gun-boat	3	60	R. M. Lloyd, Lieut.
Drake	British	gun-boat	3		C. Crowdy, Lieut.
Flamer	British	naval hospital	-		Attached to Melville
Fee-loong	Chinese	gun-boat	5		Edwards
Forester	British	gun-boat	3	60	In Ordinary
Hardy	British	gun-boat	3	60	In ordinary
Janus]	British	gun-boat	3	40	Keppel, Lieut.
Melville	British	naval hospital	-		R. Bernard, D.M.I.G. &c
Patino	Spanish	steamer	2		Patero
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14		Commodore Oliver Jones
Rifleman	British	surveying ship			J. W. Reed, Nav. Lieut.
Sa de Baudeira	H. F. M.	steamer	13		Rodrigues. [at A'deen doo!
Unadilla	U. States	steamer	5	180	Hatfield, Lt. Commander
Watchful	British	gun-boat	8	40	Harbor Tender to Comm.
Zebra	British	steam-sloop	7		E. J. Pollard, Commander
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#### MEN-OF-WAR AT CANTON

	Cheng-tsing Hai-oning	, . V		gun-boat Customs			Bessard Folsom
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#### Kiver Sybandes.

Vessel	Flag.	Captain.	Tons.	Owners or Agents.
Fame, (110 h.power)	British	Stephenson	117	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	British	Carroll	- 380	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pany.
Kin Shan	British		456	Do.
Kiu Kiang	British	Benning	617	Do.
Lintin	British	Luid up	69	Acheong
Little Orphan	British	Bouning .	46	Union Dock Company Tug.
Poyang	British	Laid up	379	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pany
Prince Albert	British			Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jesicebhoy	British	Godsill	101	Q. Acheong
Spark	Amer.	Wilson	140	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Amer.	Graves		Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British		280	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pany
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## RECEIVING SHIPS.

Vessel.	At	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Fort William Mahamoodie Snipe Water Witch Lady Hayes Wellington	Hongkong Fuhuhau Ningpo	B. sh. B. bk. B. sh. B. sh. B. bg.	292 341 427 384	Townsend Oliver Green Lowes Partridge Bennett	P. &. O. S. N. Steam Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Captain Lewes Jardine, Matheson & Co David Sassoon Sons & Co
Pathfinder Ternate	{ Ta-kau, } { Formosa }	B. sh. B. bk.	262		Jardine, Matheson & Co Dent & Co

#### Chinese Advertisements.

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